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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hiroshi IZUI, et al.

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FOR:

L-GLUTAMIC ACID PRODUCING BACTERIUM AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING L-GLUTAMIC

ACID

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a two month extension of time be granted to <u>January 25, 2005</u> for	
	filing a response to the Official Action dated:
	responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
	filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
	responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
	filing a Notice of Appeal.
	filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.
	e required fee of \$\frac{\\$450.00}{\}\$ is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. \$\frac{15-0030}{\}\$. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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